

REMARKS

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action, Applicant elects Species (1) for examination. Claims 1-5, 7-10, 12 and 13 are readable on the elected Species. Independent claim 1 is generic.

Applicant respectfully submits that generic independent claim 1 is patentable, and upon allowance, the non-elected Species should be entitled to consideration.


Applicant reserves the right to file a divisional application on the non-elected Species at a later date.

CONCLUSION

In view of all the foregoing, Applicant submits that the claims pending in this application are patentable over the references of record and are in condition for allowance. Such action at an early date is earnestly solicited. **The Examiner is invited to call the undersigned representative to discuss any outstanding issues that may not have been adequately addressed in this response.**

Respectfully submitted,

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